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Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

1. Response to Notice Regarding Drawings;
2. Corrected Drawings (11 sheets, Figs. 1A-10D; and
3. Return-receipt postcard.

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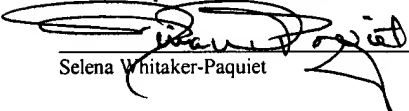
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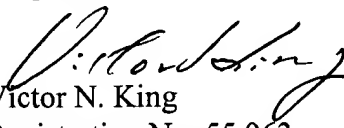
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to the Notice Regarding Drawings mailed August 18, 2004, with a two-month period for reply ending on October 18, 2004, Applicant's attorney/agent hereby submits Corrected Formal Drawings for filing on behalf of the subject patent application. The drawings have been corrected to include changes as required in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) dated August 18, 2004. These drawings are being submitted within the two-month period set for reply.

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